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SUBJ: POSSIBLE IRANIAN ARMS AID TO ARAB STATES

1. DURING MEETING WITH GENERAL TOUFANIAN, VICE MINISTER OF WAR, JANUARY 6, SENATOR PERCY ASKED HIM TO COMMENT ON IRANIAN POLICY REGARDING ALLEGED ARMS TRANSFERS TO ARAB COUNTRIES LIKE ALGERIA. TOUFANIAN REPLIED THAT IT WAS "100PERCENT SURE THAT IRAN WOULD NOT PROVIDE MILITARY EQUIPMENT FOR COUNTRIES LIKE THAT". HE WENT ON TO COMMENT WITH A SMILE THAT ZOF COURSE IRAN MAINTAINED ITS CONTACT WITH ISRAEL".

2. COMMENT: THIS IS THE SECOND TIME THAT A SENIOR IRANIAN OFFICIAL HAS UNEQUIVOCALLY DENIED ANY INTENTION ON IRAN'S PART TO TRANSFER U.S. ORIGIN MILITARY EQUIPMENT TO AN ARAB STATE IN CONFRONTATION WITH ISRAEL WITHOUT U.S. AUTHORIZATION.

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